

Dear Sir/Madam please find our comments with regards to the formalisation of TPO 2008/2026

All trees were seen late February 2026 when the deciduous trees were not in leaf and many fungal fruiting bodies would not be visible.

While we do not have any formal objections to the majority of the TPO being confirmed we would like to raise the following concerns.

T16 Norway Maple, No formal objections however we would like WBC to acknowledge the cavity with decay and the poorly pruned branches on the Eastern side and the heavily squirrel damaged crown.



G2 Norway Maples, No formal objection as they are providing privacy between the properties however there is a lot of squirrel damage in the crowns along with hanging branches/tops which have already failed and hanging in the upper crowns.

G1 Mainly Norway Maple, these are many multi stemmed trees of poor quality in this group. It would be good to confirm exactly which trees are to be included as this is too open to interpretation. Perhaps a site visit at a mutually convenient time could be arranged to clarify.



T7 Lime, No formal objections to this being included though we would like WBC to acknowledge they noticed the large cavity on the Northern side of the tree.

G3 Norway Maples, we have concerns with all of these being included within the TPO. One would appear to be a Sycamore due to the difference in bark however the tree was not viewed while in leaf. These three specimens are small and have no amenity value and all have significant damage to the stems. One even has a completely dead top. Did WBC actually look at these when TPO 2008/2026 was being assessed?



T19 Oak, No formal objections however we are lead to believe Colette noticed a fungal fruiting body on the tree when she made her site visit? If this is the case what species was it and what effects do you feel this will have on the tree. While we have not seen

this ourselves, it will undoubtedly present its self in the Autumn if there is indeed something there.

Many thanks

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